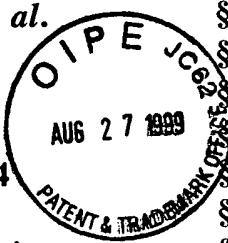


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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 21, 1999,  
please enter the following amendments and remarks.  
Reconsideration of the pending claims is respectfully requested.

IN THE CLAIMS:

In claim 16, line 10, after "graft" and before "create",  
~~please delete one "create".~~

Please amend claim 17 as follows:

17. (twice amended) A method of decreasing rejection  
of a graft in an individual, comprising the steps of: